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The little gold dollar is getting itself disliked.

ABSOLUTELY no demand for gold, say the bankers.

The polar wave rolls on and to-day the Eastern cities are getting the benefit of it.

Now do we all tremble at the appearance of that hydrant-headed monster, the plumber.

STRICTLY SPEAKING, only those fellows who were hanged last year come under the head of neck-ology.

THE year wound up, but Stewart's body did not turn up. The coming detective has not yet revealed himself.

BERGH'S Society was handsomely remembered in the will of the late Dr. Cook, of New York, by a bequest of \$5,000.

RABBITS have nibbled themselves into disfavor in Victoria, and the Legislature has been forced to pass a "Rabbit Suppression Bill."

"A COURTEOUS advocate and political organ" is what a Texas paper says it strives to be. In most parts of the country political organs do not go much on courtesy.

OLD Aaron McKenney, of Saco, Maine, reached his one hundred and first year last week. A physician examined his pulse and tested his vitality, and certified that he was in as good condition as a man of seventy.

MR. VAN SISE, of Newtown, L. I., fell asleep in his buggy, and his horse attempted to cross a railroad track. A locomotive striking his vehicle, however, opened Mr. Van Sise, after which he walked home, wide awake.

NEIL BRYANT, having been released from prison, where he was held for a debt which he could pay, but would not, should take the road with his minstrel band at once. He has succeeded in thoroughly advertising himself.

THE citizens of Cork do not seem to be full to the brim and boiling over with enthusiasm for the Great American Traveler. They cherish a remembrance of Grant's hostility to Catholicism, which is likely to interfere with the cordiality of his reception.

DURING the war General Butler gave an old wood-chopper permission to cut wood in the swamps near New Orleans. The old man is not only still hacking away under cover of that permit, which he says has never been revoked, but he sells the right to cut to others.

IX the trial of Mrs. Cobb, at Norwich, Conn., yesterday, Wesley W. Bishop, who has endeavored to conceal himself under cover of a confession, testified that he had purchased poison for the woman, which she afterwards administered to her husband. In one word he admits both his own criminality and his cowardice.

THOMAS M. WORKMAN, a resident of Laurens, S. C., claims to have invented the telephone more than three years ago. He forwarded the drawings and a description of what he designated an "Electric Speaking Trumpet," to a New York manufacturer in November, 1875, but the papers were lost in the mails and never reached their destination. Mr. Workman asserts that the instrument used by Prof. Bell is precisely his design, and that the name "Electric Speaking Trumpet," first coined by him, was subsequently applied to the telephone by Bell.

THE government of India, which has had to devise means to combat more epidemics than any other in the world, has come to the conclusion that quarantine affords no adequate advantage for the harm it does. The quarantine system, it is insisted, causes great loss to ship owners, injures trade and needlessly exposes healthy persons, and is no safeguard against the introduction of disease. The government proposes a new arrangement. Ships arriving from infected regions will be only stopped long enough for passengers and sailors to disembark and allow the vessel to be thoroughly fumigated. Sick persons will be sent to proper places for treatment and well ones allowed to go their way. The officials are convinced that what is needed to check disease is better sanitary regulations on land, so that people will not be in a condition to readily contract disease. This they believe to be especially true of cholera. They hold that no system of quarantine will prevent its introduction into localities reeking with miasma and filth, and that it will not be introduced into a healthy location be-

there ever so many imported cases. While there may be much truth in these positions they doubtless find ready supporters in the persons of ship owners and merchants, who have suffered financially from the effects of a rigid quarantine.

WHEN anything is thrown upon the market of the world that comes from Connecticut, it is sought after with eagerness; whether it be a political convention like that held at Hartford during the war of 1812, or an invoice of nutmegs, or laws that are "deeply, darkly, heavenly blue," or baked beans, from which all deleterious gases have been extracted by a patent process. There is unlimited faith given to all the productions of a State that could produce Gideon Welles to politics and Mrs. Sigourney to poetry. And now comes Mrs. Alexander, like an army with banners, and lets in a gush of daylight on the creation of woman. Her poem is too long for publication entire, excepting in some "patent inside" newspaper, but the following stanzas define her position on the subject with her reason for the same, and the substantial conclusions she has arrived at. It will be seen that she is opposed to divorces on anatomical grounds:

"The woman was not taken from Adam's head, we know, So that she must not rule him; 'tis evidently so; The woman was not taken from Adam's feet we know, So he must not abuse her, the meaning seems to be."

"The woman was extracted from under Adam's arm, Therefore must be protected from injury and harm; The woman was extracted from near to Adam's heart, By which we are directed that they should never part."

"Likewise that he should love her and prize her as his friend; Prize nothing else above her 'till life shall have an end."

PERSONALS ABOUT LADIES.

Miss Bulkley, of Eikhorn, Wis., bid in the old town jail at public auction.

Queen Victoria, though overwhelmed with sorrow by the death of Princess Alice, has not suffered in health.

M. Meisner has just sold his "Halle de Cuirassier," which was shown at the Paris Exposition, to a Belgian for \$55,000.

Charlotte Bronte's piano is advertised for sale in England. Its authenticity is guaranteed, and it is still in good condition.

Mrs. Conners, the Fall River (Mass.) woman who was bitten three weeks ago by a mad cat, has just died from hydrophobia.

Charles E. Stowe, a son of Prof. Calvin E. and Harriet Beecher Stowe, was ordained to the ministry at Hartford, Conn., Monday night last.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lawson, a widow aged eighty, and living by herself at Lebanon Junction, went to bed with a pipe in her mouth, and was burned to death.

Miss Fanny Davenport, while recently playing in Pittsburgh, Pa., engaged herself to marry a well-known commission merchant of that city. So say the papers.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton believes that girls to be beautiful, ought to bathe in cold water twice a day. The sad truth is, that many of them would rather live and die ugly.

Miss Haskins, the well-known reader, is sick with consumption at St. Luke's Hospital. This sad intelligence will cause deep sorrow among the many friends that this lady has made professionally.

Mrs. Derby, the widow of that genial humorist, Lieutenant "John Phoenix" Derby, went to Washington five years ago with \$50,000, was persuaded to invest it in real estate, and has lost it all.

Mrs. Fremont is pleasantly described as so much interested in popular education in Arizona that she often visits the public schools and entertains the delighted pupils with stories of her travels abroad.

Mrs. Harriet Prescott Spofford, the accomplished writer, is descended through her father from the famous American baronet, Sir William Pepperell. One of her mother's ancestors was Sir John Brydges.

Miss Kate Sanborn is to give new lectures in New York in February on "Madame de Genlis," "Birds as Sung by Poets," and "Spenser An hours of America." She has been delivering these lectures in Boston with great success.

Lady Rosebery had jewels and money to the value of three or four thousand dollars stolen from her a few days ago while traveling in a railway carriage. To a person worth some fifteen millions, however, the loss is not a serious one.

Mrs. Minna Kieburg nee Cohen, wife of Rabbi Lewis Kieburg, of the Jewish Synagogue, New Haven, Conn., is dead. Mrs. Kieburg was a German poetess of marked ability, and was well known in New York and foreign literary circles.

Mrs. Hamilton, of Portsmouth, N. H., died one day last week of diphtheria, and two hours afterwards, while the undertaker was laying her out, in the same room her little child died of the same disease, suffering fearful agony by suffocation, his hair actually standing on end.

The Queen of the Belgians has decided on presenting to the Belgian ladies who attended as a deputation at the celebration of the silver wedding a suitable souvenir of the occasion. This will consist of a silver medallion bearing an excellent likeness of Her Majesty on the obverse, the reverse bearing the inscription: "Offert par la Reine, souvenir du 22 Aout, 1878," surrounded by a garland of roses.

Mrs. Gaines is still getting in her work at New Orleans. Says the Pic: On yesterday the case of Mrs. Gaines vs. Brown, administratrix, involving title to a plantation in the Parish of Ascension, having a front of 1872 arpents on the Mississippi River, came up for hearing. Mr. Mills for Mrs. Gaines, Messrs. Charles S. Kellogg, Singleton & Browne and Elmore & King for defendants. Judgment was rendered in favor of Mrs. Gaines against Mrs. Brown.

Anna Dickinson returns to the lecture platform, according to the Philadelphia Times, because she must earn a living. Although she for a long time received \$200 a night for lecturing, she spent money generously, and finally lost all her savings through an unfortunate investment in Western land. A friend lent her the money with which to make her unsuccessful venture on the theater stage, and she desires to repay the loan. Miss Dickinson received hundreds of letters from friends advising her to give up the stage.

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Unfit for Business

or pleasure, and subject to fits of melancholy? Are your kidneys, stomach, urinary organs, liver or blood in a disordered condition? Do you suffer from rheumatism, neuralgia, or aches and pains? Have you been indiscreet in early years and

A Victim to Youthful Follies,

or carried the marital relation to excess in later years? Have these indiscretions and excesses left you in a weak and debilitated condition? Are you timid, nervous, and forgetful, and your mind continually dwelling on the subject? Have you

Lost Confidence in Yourself

and energy for business pursuits? Are you subject to any of the following symptoms: dreams, palpitation of the heart, bashfulness, restless nights, broken sleep, nightmare, confusion of ideas, aversion to society, dizziness in the head, dimness of sight, pimples and blotches on the face and back, and other despondent symptoms? There are

Thousands of Young Men,

middle-aged, and even the old, who suffer from nervous and physical debility. There are also thousands of females

Broken Down in Health

and spirits from disorders peculiar to their sex, and who, from false modesty or neglect, prolong their sufferings. Why, then, further neglect a subject so productive of health and future happiness when there is at hand a means of cure? Why not throw off the yoke altogether, and seek a remedy that has

Science and Common Sense

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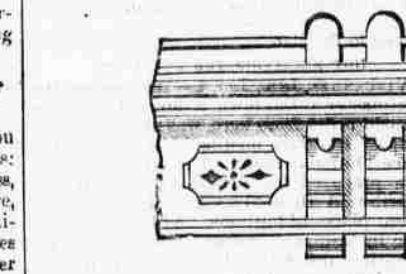
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RAILROAD TIME

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CINCINNATI SOUTHERN RAILWAY. Depot, corner Meigs ave. and West street.

Somerset Ex.	7:45 a.m.	6:20 p.m.
Danville Junction Ac.	8:55 p.m.	11:00 a.m.
ATLANTIC & GREAT WESTERN. Depot, Fifth and Hoadly.		
New York Ex. daily.	11:08 a.m.	5:53 p.m.
New York Ex. daily.	9:23 p.m.	5:45 a.m.

LOUISVILLE & CINCINNATI SHORT-LINE. Depot, Front and Kilgour.

Louisville Ex.	7:14 a.m.	8:04 p.m.
Louisville Ex.	3:14 p.m.	12:49 p.m.
Louisville daily.	8:14 p.m.	7:44 a.m.
Worthville Ac.	6:10 p.m.	1:04 p.m.

MARIETTA & CINCINNATI. Depot, Fifth and Hoadly.

Parkensburg Ac.	5:53 a.m.	5:38 p.m.
Hillsboro Ac.	5:53 a.m.	5:38 p.m.
Parkensburg Ex.	5:53 p.m.	6:24 a.m.
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Louisville Ac.	5:53 a.m.	5:38 p.m.
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CHESAPEAKE & OHIO, VIA PARKERSBURG. Depot, Fifth and Hoadly.

Baltimore Ex.	8:08 a.m.	6:37 p.m.
Baltimore Ex.	9:53 p.m.	6:23 a.m.
Depot, Mill and Front.		
St. Louis Ex.	7:57 a.m.	8:42 p.m.
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DAYTON & CINCINNATI. Depot, Fifth and Hoadly.

Dayton Ex.	9:23 p.m.	5:53 a.m.
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INDIANAPOLIS & CINCINNATI. Depot, Fifth and Hoadly.

Indianapolis Ex.	7:08 a.m.	9:30 p.m.
Indianapolis Ex.	4:13 p.m.	9:38 a.m.
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